



Brian F. Fontes, Ph.D. • Vice President, Federal Relations • phone 202.419.3010 • fax 202.419.3052

October 2, 2003

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary—Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW, Room TW-A325
Washington, DC 20554

**Re: Wireless Number Portability
CC Docket No. 95-116, Ex Parte**

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On October 2, 2003, Cingular Wireless, LLC ("Cingular") represented by Brian Fontes, Vice President-Federal Relations, Ben Almond, Vice President-Federal Regulatory and Michael Goggin, Senior Counsel, met with Jennifer Manner, Legal Advisor to Commissioner Abernathy, to discuss issues related to the referenced docket proceeding. The specific issue discussed during the meeting was how best to ensure the smooth implementation of wireless number portability, including whether a phased, regional implementation would better serve customers by permitting any potential problems to be resolved prior to a national rollout.

Pursuant to Section 1.1206 of the Commission's Rules, this notification is being submitted to your office. If you have any questions concerning this submission, please contact the undersigned.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Brian F. Fontes', written over a horizontal line.

Brian F. Fontes
Vice President—Federal Relations

cc: Jennifer Manner